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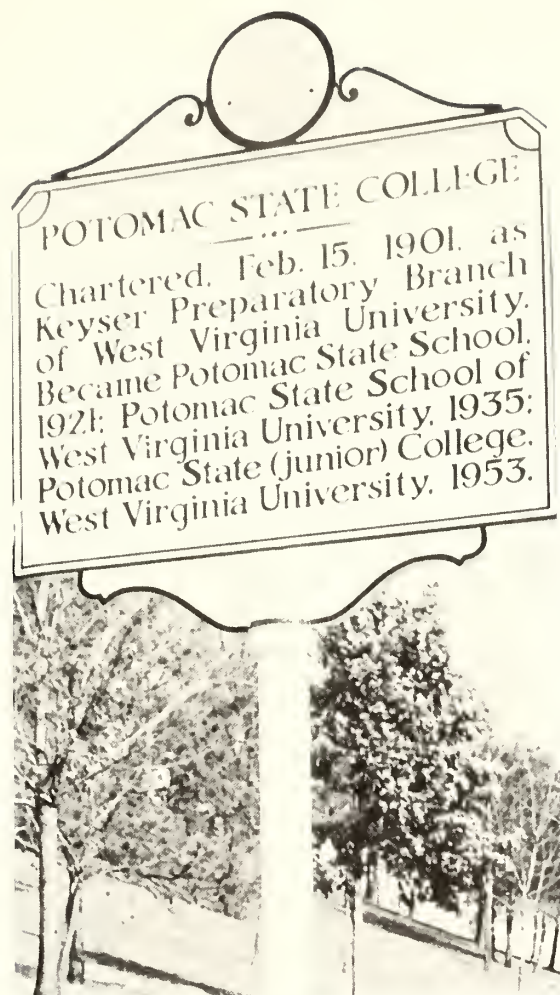






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Dedication



Dr. A.G. Slonaker

Dr. A. G. Slonaker, dean of the college, surprised the campus with his retirement effective December 31, 1977. In honor of his service to Potomac State College this yearbook is dedicated.

Dr. Slonaker came to Potomac State in July 1973. Prior to that time, he had thirty-five years service in education in the state of West Virginia. He was honored by Mark Hudnal with this pencil sketch, and received the game ball from Mark "Chad" Brant.

'Day Of The Dean'
November 12, 1977





Potomac
State —

1977-1978







... Seasons Fill
The Measure Of
The Year ...



Sky Rockets In Flight
Afternoon Delight!



. . . Summer, A Music
Without A Hint Of Death . . .



. . . Sing a song of summer,
the world is nearly still,
The mill-pond has gone to sleep,
and so has the mill . . .





Autumn, A Cadence Lingerly Long



Winter, A Pause; The Minstrel-Year Takes Breath

Spring, The Low Prelude Of A Lordlier Song

William Watson
The Year's Minstreley



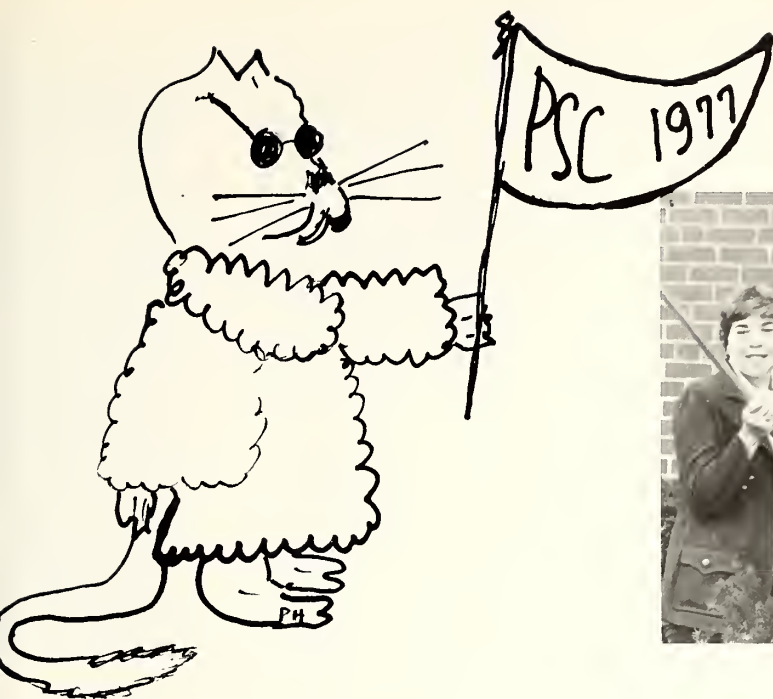




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HOMEcoming PARENTS' WEEKEND



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27

8:00 "Open Mike"

Pub - Student Union

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28

Noon Pep Rally

Lawn front of Student Union

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

9:00 - 11:00 Registration and Coffee Hour

Student Union

10:00 Unveiling of Bicentennial Plaque Academy Hall
Young Dems complete Bicentennial Project "Time Capsule"

10:30 Parade Downtown Keyser

11:00 - 1:30 Luncheon (by reservation) Dining Hall - Davis

1:20 Pre-game - Honoring of Parents coming longest distance

1:30 Catamounts vs Community College of Baltimore

Halftime Dedications - Press Box / Augustion Prof. Dayton with Alumni President William
Coronation of 1977 Homecoming Queen Kessel receiving Distinguished Service Award.

4:00 - 6:00 Dinner (by reservation)

4:00 Post game reception

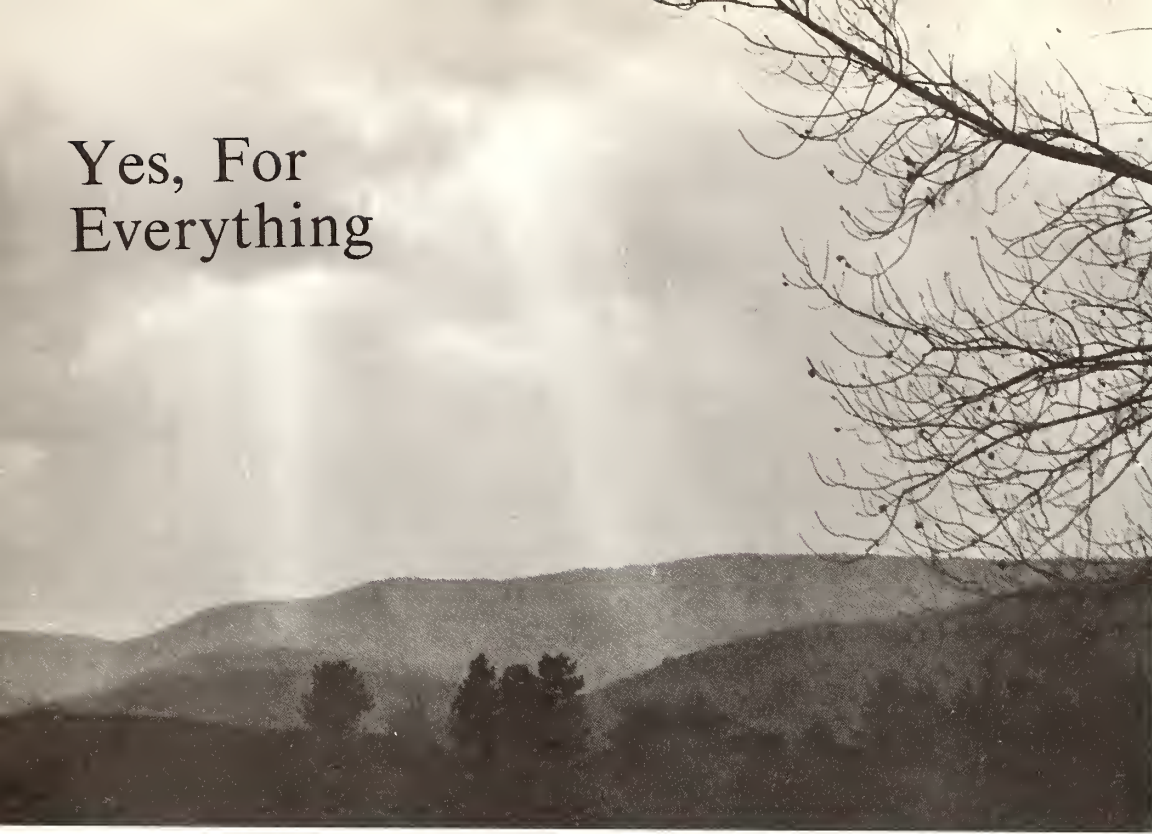
6:00 Alumni Banquet and Awards Program

8:00 Concert by Potomac State Music Faculty

9:00 Homecoming Dance



Yes, For
Everything



There Was
A Season





And A Time



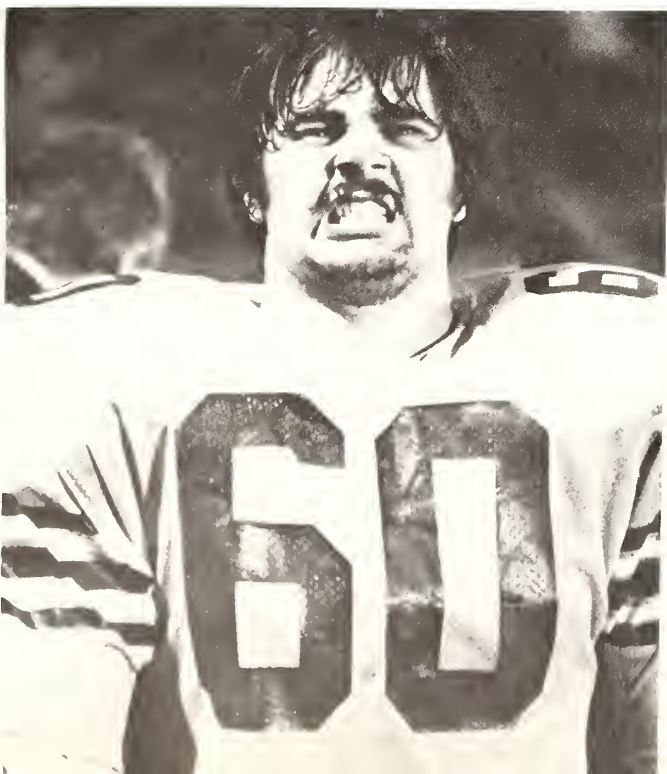
To Dig In



A time



to snarl



**and
to
smile**



A time



to see



**and
to
point
the
way..**





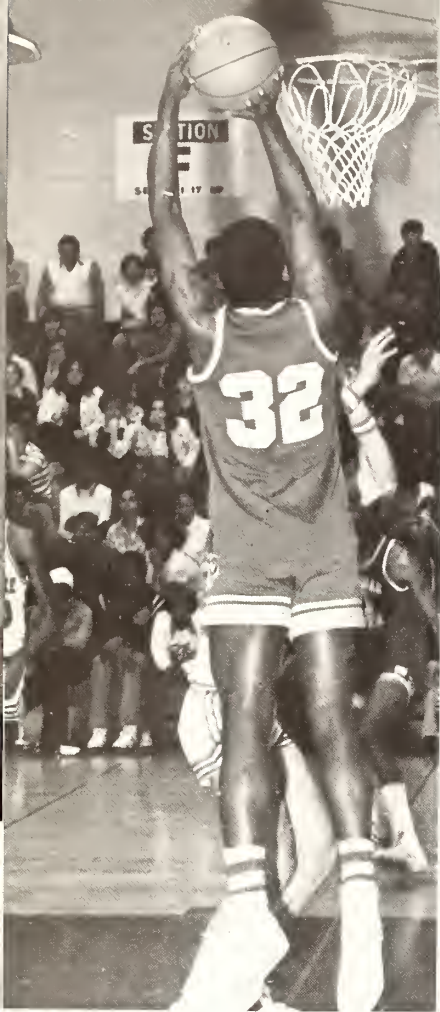
A Time To Keep Silence



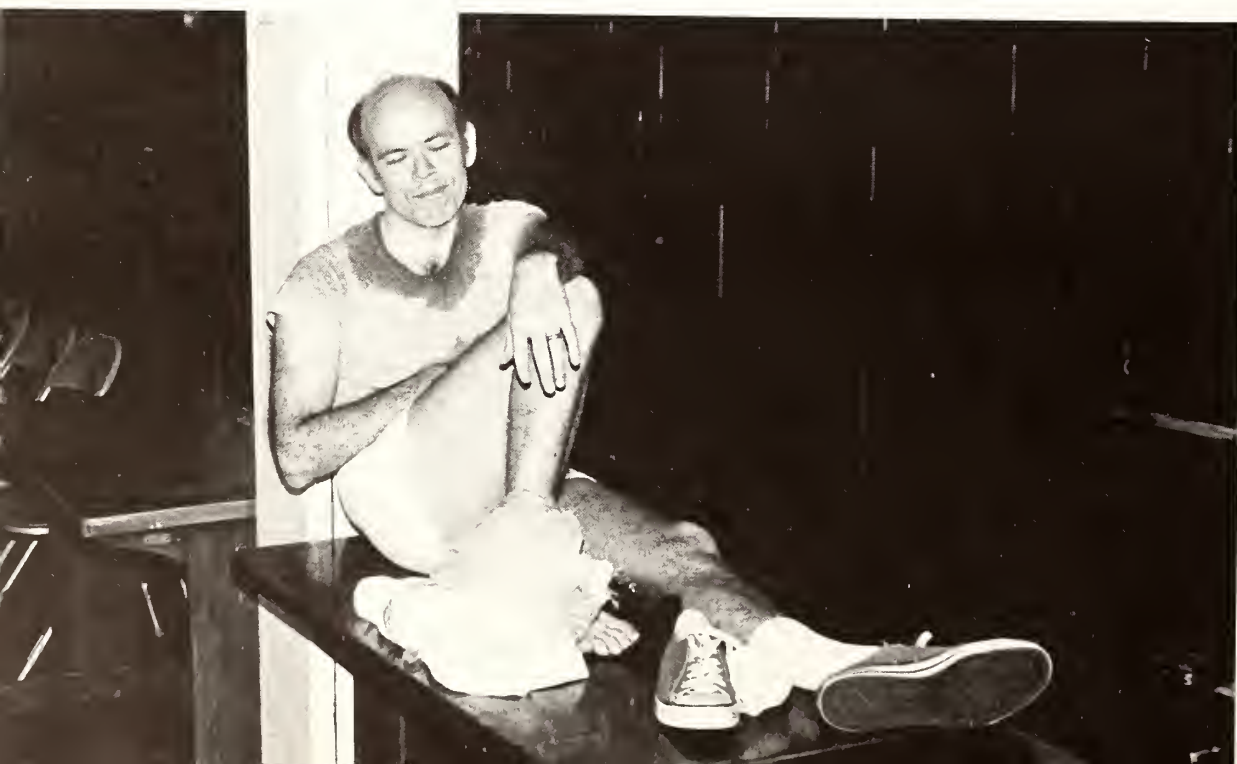


And
A Time
To Speak . . .



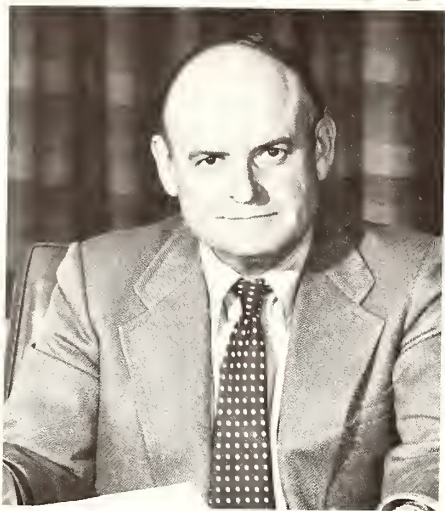


A
Time To Score
And A Time To Rest

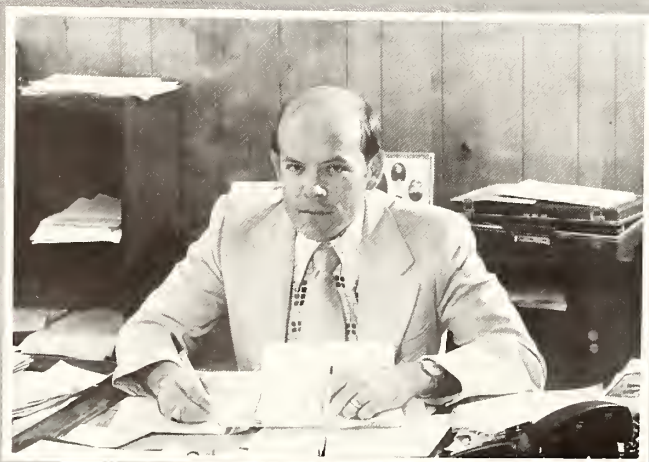




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Executive Dean
1972-1977



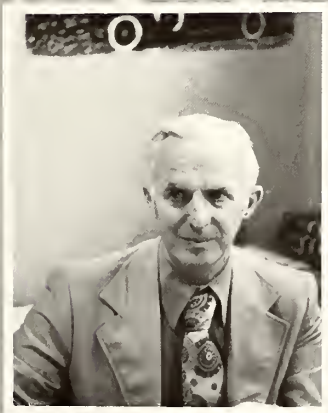
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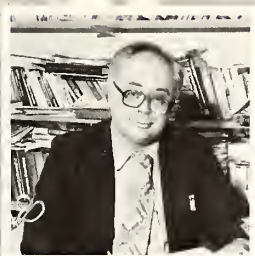
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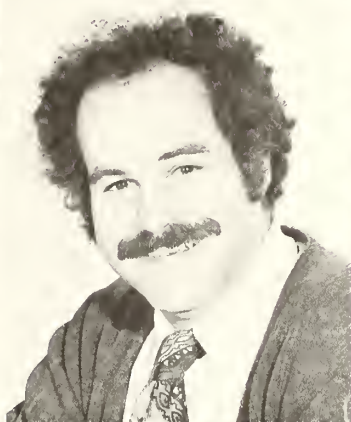
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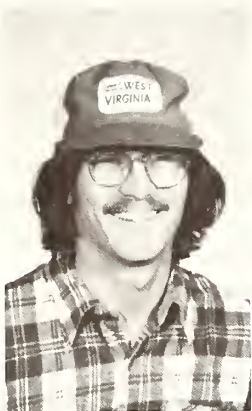


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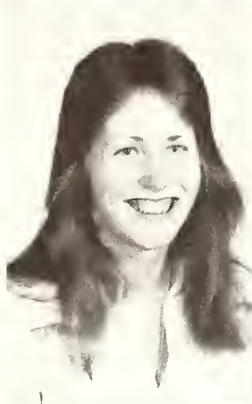
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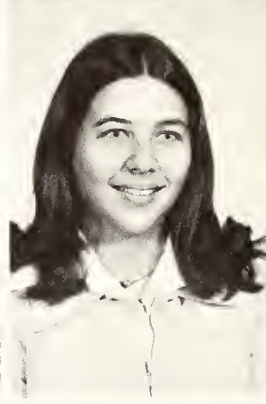
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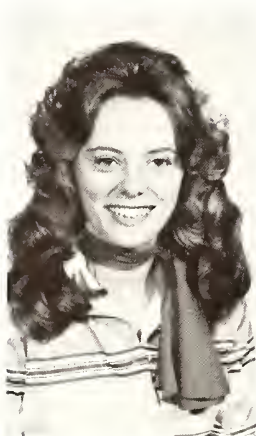




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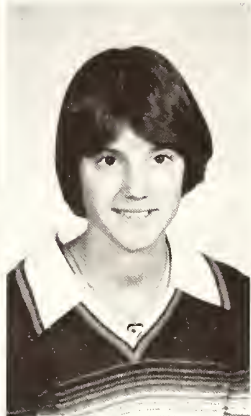
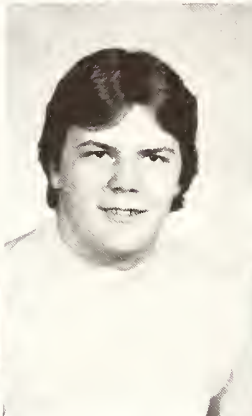
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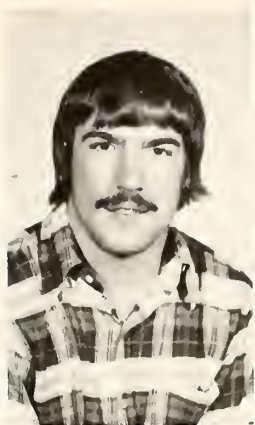


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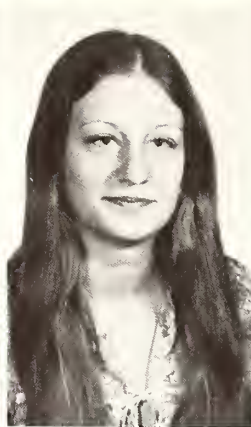




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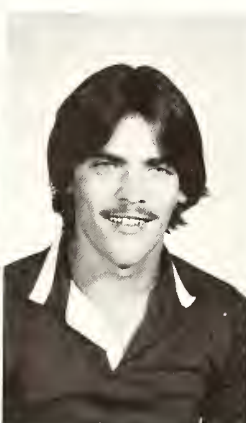
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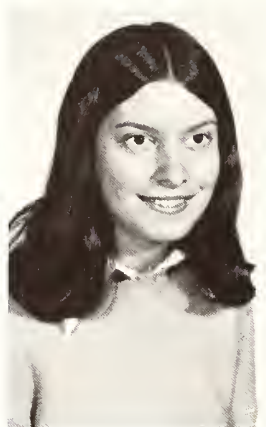
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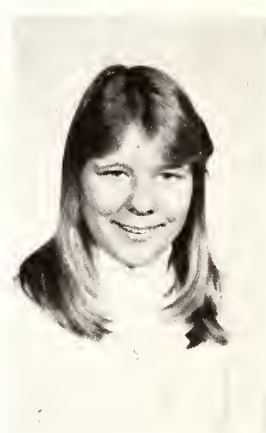
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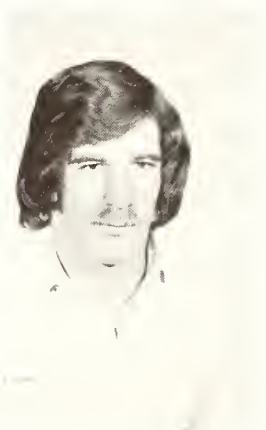
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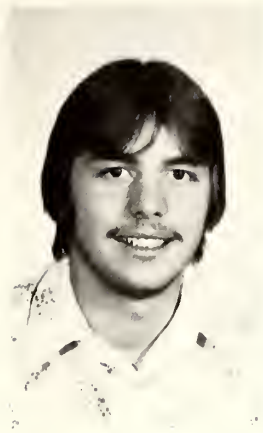
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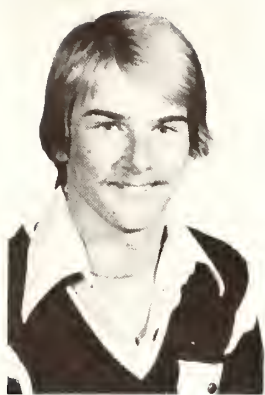
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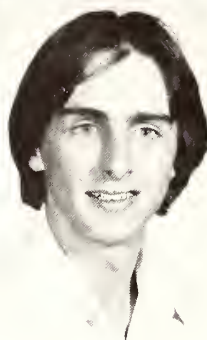
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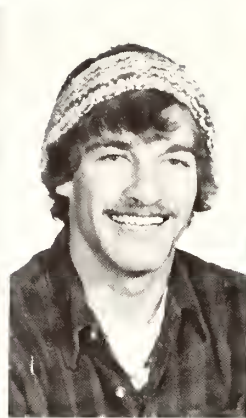
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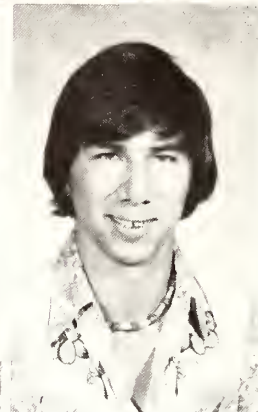
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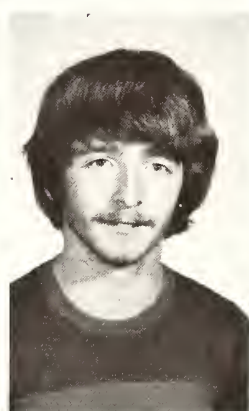
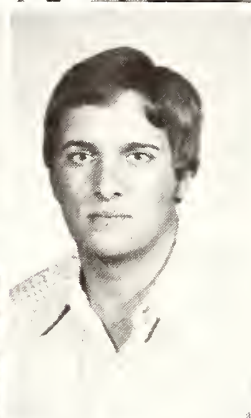
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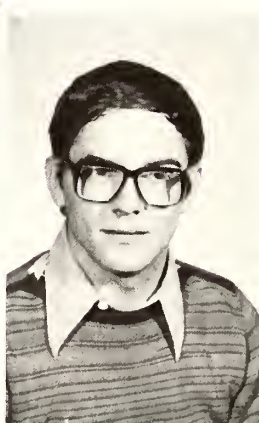
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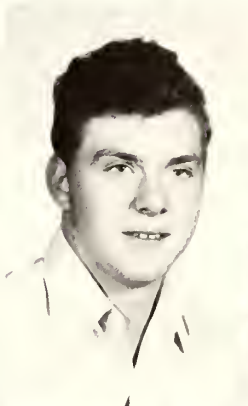


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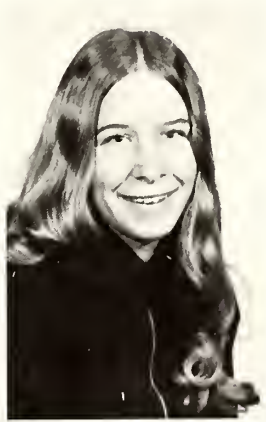
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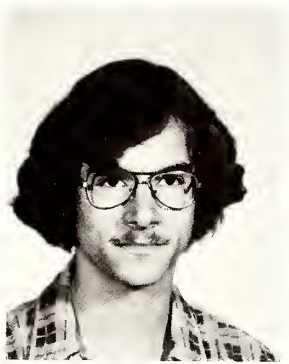
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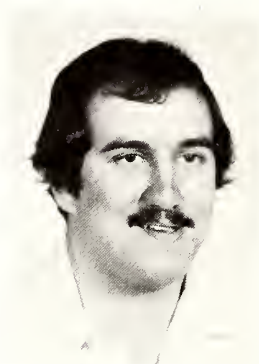
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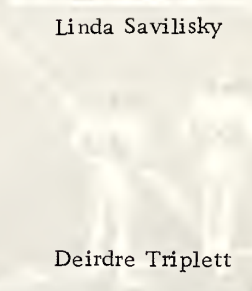
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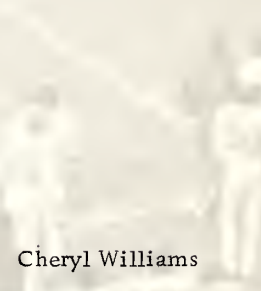
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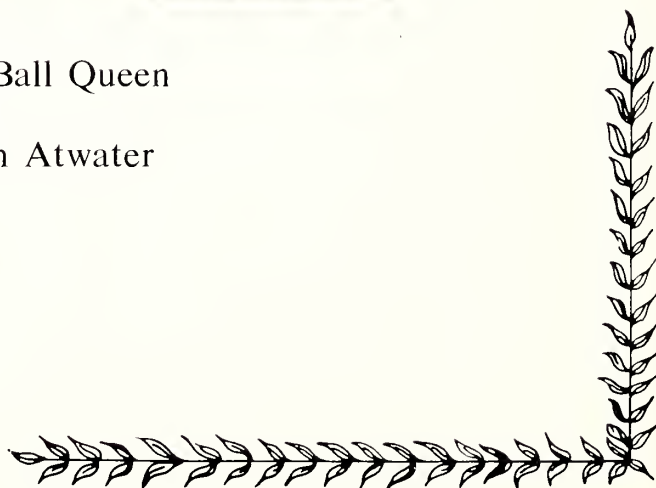


SUSAN LYNN
HUFF



Military Ball Queen

Elizabeth Atwater





Potomac State Representative

Apple Blossom Festival

Winchester, Virginia



Sweetheart Queen

Patricia McCullough

Phyllis Henry

Spring Queen





CARLA KIDWELL



CHERYL WILLIAMS

'They Also Ran'

KAREN STREETS



LINDA SAVILISKY



KAREN ROGERS





SERENDIPITY





Perceiv'st thou not the process of the year,
How the four seasons in four forms appear,
Resembling human life in ev'vy shape they wear?

OVID. Metamorphoses, xv, 296





Then, how merry are the times!
 The Spring times! the Summer times! . . .
 Now, how solemn are the times!
 The Winter times! the Night times! . . .
 Sing then, hopeful are all times!
 Winter, Spring, Summer times!
 BRYAN W. PROCTER, A Song for the Seasons







O ye Hours

--- but.



Follow with May's fairest flowers.



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Alumni Scholarships

Terra Friend
Driedre Triplett
Jeannette Staggs
Diana White

Anderson Scholarship

Vickie Saville

Harris - Mauzy Scholarship

Forrest Kelly

Lough Scholarship

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ORGANIZATIONS



Left to right; Louisa Gainer, Kim Courtney, Mary Beth Harper, Cheryl Williams, Kathy Smith, Carla Kidwell, Peggy Corwell.

Cheerleaders Capture The Spirit Of The Season!





Back row, left to right: Mary Shears, Terri Tetrick, Tammy Schramm, Steve Pancake, Cindy Boggs, Karen Rogers, Jeniffer Keeney, Sandie Auvil, Jeff Pancione, Mary Beth Harper, Mr. Elwood Layman. Front row, left to right: Karen Streets, Greg Burkett, Pam Hartman, Donna Thomas, Tammy Mezzatesta, Kim Parsons, Marian Thorne, Anne Harman, Joanne Molesworth.

Business Club





Left to right: Cap. Baum, Garrett Miller, Micheal Leatherman, Perry Stevenson, Charles Gear, Sgt. Bailey.

Roth Military Honorary Society

This organization sponsors the annual Military Ball, provides color guard for ceremonies of a military nature, and holds a fall or spring banquet.



ROTC Honors Elizabeth Atwater



Military Ball
March 17, 1978





Henry Falkowski, Pam From, Chris Richards, Charles Smith, Jasper Morris



Astronomy Club

Steven Bland, Susan Harper
and Kent Shipe receive Ag Awards



Kenneth Malone
Advisor

Agriculture Club



Fi Batar Kappar

Fi Batar Kappar are "Spirit Makers". The strange looking persons seen on campus and during sporting events are members of the Fi Batar Kappar. Their job is to get the crowd as "fired-up" as possible. Their old suits of a bathrobe, an original hat, and walking cane, give the group an altogether different personality. The Fi Batar Kappar's try their best to keep the morale up at every single game. We salute you.



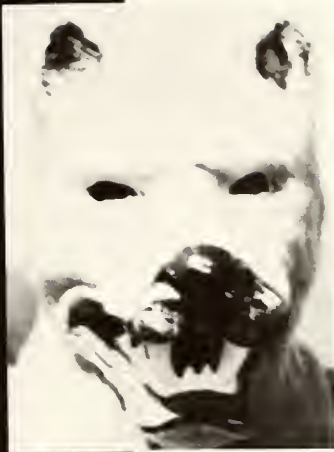


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Tammy Mezzatesta end their 1977

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Deborah Karcher
Tim Minnich
Joseph A. Paolini
Roxann Tigney

DR. ELIZABETH A. ATWATER
Adviser

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Former Staff Member,
Tom Pendergast, honored at
ALUMNI BANQUET receives
Alumni Achievement Award





YOUNG DEMOCRATS during the year sponsored programs of political interest. They invited the WV Secretary of State, A. J. Manchin, to be the Grand Marshal of the Homecoming Parade. They presented the college with a framed West Virginia flag. Members: Eric Clark, Pat Sheirer, Reva Taylor, Edie Laughlin, Steve Sluss, Doug Given, Vickie Saville, and Richard Umstot. Dr. Lester Beavers serves as advisor.



A. J. Manchin





Annual Mum Sale

OFFICERS:
 Cheryl Williams, President
 Regina Hite, Vice-President
 Louisa Gainer, Secretary
 Jeanette Staggs, Treasurer
 Mrs. Elizabeth Hanlin, Advisor



Faculty Christmas Party - Mrs. Golden,
 Dr. Mon. Dr. Naylor.

Home Economics Club

The Home Economics club visited "Falling Water," a home designed by Frank Lloyd Wright at Mill Run, PA, on Tuesday, April 11, 1978. Students making the trip were Martin Eagle, Marsha Green, Regina Hite, Donald Kirk, Mrs. Virginia Lowther, Barbara Mongold, Brenda Mongold, Charmaine Smith, and Jeanette Staggs. They were accompanied by Prof. Hanlin.



Young Republicans

Officers

President: Danny Cummings; Vice-president: Ronald Kesner; Secretary: Kelley Harman; Treasurer: Cindrea Boggs; Shelley Hess Student Government representative.



Gary Parish, Ted Elrick, Randy Filkins, Shelley Hess, Danny Cummings, William Edel, sponsor, Elizabeth Stewart, Cindy Boggs, Kelley Harman, and Jeff Kessel.



Co-sponsor political symposiums . . . House of Delegate candidates Irving Athey, Bob Harman, D. Cline, mod. John Lusk, John Shores.



Psychology Club With Scope

Members: Steven Ofori, George May, DOUG KESNER, PRESIDENT PSYCHOLOGY CLUB, William Edel, Advisor, Bonnie Myers, Evelyn Petry, Advisor, Sheila Judy, Alisa Mauk, CIRCE COOKE, PRESIDENT SCOPE, Janice Rigby, Julie Miller, Ann Idleman, Elizabeth Stewart, Marti Barnard, Cindy Cunningham, Matthew Holt.

Sports Action Club

Members: Tim Ninnich, Jeff Berry, Tom Bowman, Dave Britton, Avery Cunningham, Hilton Graham, Kirk Jones, Raynard Lee, Michael Maz-zariello, Melvin McRoy, Peter Plousis, Wendell Ram-sey, Mark Richard, Ralph Santoro, Clifford Wright, President: Cathy Marciniak, Vice-President: Barbara Johnson, Secretary: Joanne Molesworth, Treasurer: Doug Jones.





FRONT L to R: Charmaine Smith, Dana Groves, Kay Burgess, Karen Rogers, Carla See, Alice Newlon, Debbie Fanto, Cathy Ludwick, Edie Thayer, Pianist Sharon Davis, Director Richard Davis. MIDDLE L to R: Yolanda Broome, Beckey Knicely, Donna Thomas, Karen Streets, Terri Tetrick, Mary Beth Howard, Betty Ann Walker, Lori Deskin, Sherri Arnold, Cheryl Shields. BACK L to R: Gary Parish, John Placha, Stan Allen, Ross Glatfelter, Dennis Brown.

Singers





Deedee Triplett, Linda Hedrick, Cathy Fisher

Potomac State Marching Band

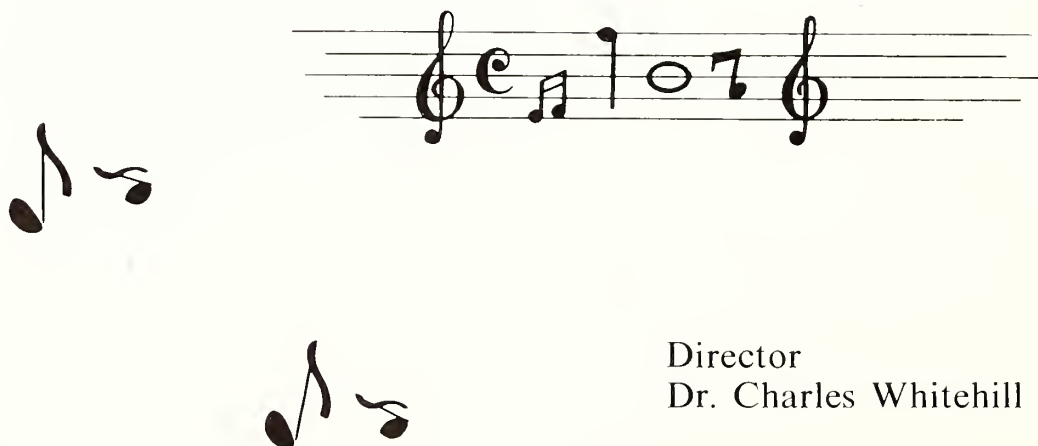
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Front L to R: Betty Ann Walker, Sherri Arnold, Tara Pfeifer, Shelley Hess. Second L to R: Karen Morgan, Fran Whiteman, Alice Newlon, Julie Staggers, Tara Webb, Deedee Triplett, Edie Thayer, Tim Smith, Richard Thrush. Third L to R: Bob Ripple, Charles Whitehill, Todd Edwards, Michael Butts, Ross Glotfelty, Ted Wilson, Stan Kimble, John Hanna, Rhoades Whitehill, Tammy Wilkes, Susan Schwinabart, Julie Malone. Fourth L to R: William Rogers, John Placha, Lori Deskins.

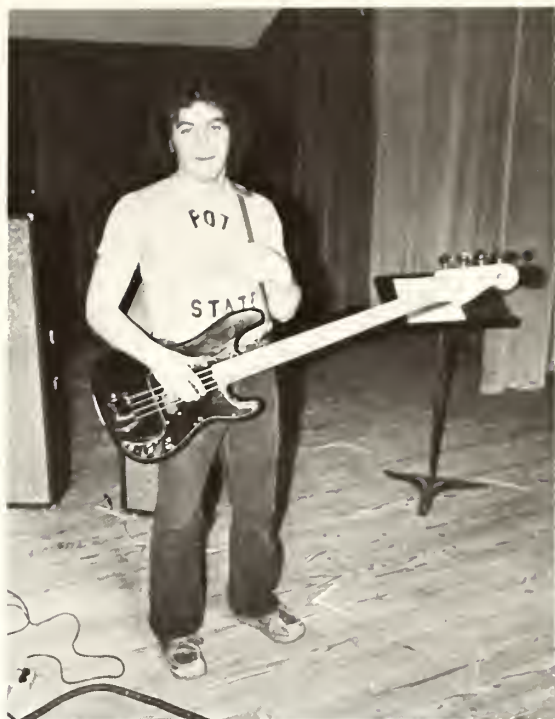
Concert Band



Director
Dr. Charles Whitehill



Bob Ripple, Ralph Santoro, Dennis Thurmond, and Mary Hott



Ralph Santoro

Front L to R: Alice Newlon, Betty Ann Walker, Tim Smith Bob Woolf. Second L to R: Ted Wilson, Stan Kimble, Rhoades Whitehill, Mark Stout, John Placha, Tandy Filkins, Todd Edwards, Charles Whitehill. Bob Ripple, Dennis Thurmond, and Ralph Santoro.

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Wind Section Of Stage Band



Betty Ann Walker, Sherri Arnold, Shelley Hess, Lori Deskins, Tammy Wilkes, Tim Smith, Bob Woolf, and Dridre Triplett.

Brass Section



Front: Rhoades Whitehill, Julie Malone, Sue Schwinabart, Middle: John Placha, Ted Wilson, Craig Durst, John Hanna, John Wilkinson. Back: Mark Stout, and Fran Whiteman.





ANTHONY
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Players

The oldest cultural group on the campus The Players, perform each semester. Mike Mazzariello (on the ladder) can be seen with the actors of the first semester's one-act plays. "Don't Drink the Water" by Woody Allen featured Ted Elrick, Shelley Hess, Stan Kimble, Stuart Durst, Vickie Saville, Karl Siever, and Tim Smith. Other players are: Steve Jack, Keven Caterbury, Doug Kesner, Tom Kennedy, Mike Pyles, Edie Laughlin, and Lori Deskin.



'Don't Drink The Water'

By Woody Allen







Sigma Phi Omega

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Officers:
Lori Deskins, president; Tammy Mezzatesta, vice-president; Prof. Kenneth Haines, secretary-treasurer; and Prof. Virginia Johnson, faculty representative.

Initiates 55 In 1977-1978



FIRST SEMESTER

Robert Paris, Garrett Miller, Brenda Mayle Mongold, Debbie Fanto, Cheryl Williams, Sue Harper, Vickie, Saville, and Barbaro Ours Mongold.

SECOND SEMESTER

Jack Aylor, Greg Burkett, Fred Cochran, George Darrell, Martha Eagle, Dennis Funk, Charles Gear, Phylliss Henry, Jeff Kessel, Rebecca Knicely, James Kramer, Edie Laughlin, Gina Litten, Stephen Ofori, Hobert Orton, Andrew Salisbury, Linda Savilisky, Karl Siever, Lisa Sirk, Perry Stevenson, Michael Strickler, Marian Thorne, Karen Streets, and Pam vance, sophomores. Steven Bland, Kay Burgess, Jay Clem, Circe Cooke, Mary Ann Davis, Edward Fazenbaker, Jr., Kelley Harman, Robert T. Harman, Anna Idleman, Robin Jansante, Sheila Judy, Paul Kesner, Emily Ludwick, Julie Malone, Christa Martin, Barbara Parker, John Peyton, Janice Rigby, Susan Schwinabart, Elizabeth Stewart, Donna Thomas, Richard Umstot, Jr., and Robert Ted Wilson, freshmen.



Four things a man must learn to do
 If he would make his record true:
 To think without confusion clearly,
 To love his fellowman sincerely,
 To act from honest motives purely,
 To trust in God and Heaven securely.
 -- Henry Van Dyke



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Front L to R: Brenda Mayle Mongold, Tammy Mezzatesta, Lori Deskins, Barbaro Ours Mongold. Second L to R: Carla See, Debbie Fanto, Cheryl Williams, Sue Harper, Vickie Saville, Alexa Smith, Deedee Triplett, Albert Smith. Third L to R: Charles Gear, Robert Paris, Tim Minnick, Garrett Miller.

38th Annual Recognition Day

Sigma Phi Omega - Sponsor

April 26, 1978

MODERN LANGUAGE AWARDS were given to Deirdre Triplett for superior ability in the study of French and Edie Laughlin and Gerald Kirk for outstanding ability in Spanish. Prof. Haines presented the awards.

THE SECRETARIAL SCIENCE AWARD went to Mary Shears. Presenter was Prof. Irene Hartman.

WHO'S WHO IN AMERICAN JUNIOR COLLEGES honored 25 Potomac State sophomores and were recognized by Prof. Jack M. Hartman.

JOURNALISM AWARDS went to Vickie Saville for both Best News Story and Best Editorial, to Alexa Smith for Best Feature, and to Jack Aylor for excellence in Sportswriting.

Citations were also presented by Dr. Atwater to Timothy Minnich, business manager, and Michael Strickler, circulation manager.

OUTSTANDING TEACHER OF THE YEAR AWARDS were presented by Dr. Douglas A. Harrington, acting dean of the college, to Dr. Elizabeth A. Atwater, journalism and speech; Prof. Kenneth Malone, agriculture; and Prof. Nancy Oates, biology.

MILITARY SCIENCE AWARDS, presented by CPT Bradford E. Baum, included the Department of the Army Superior Cadet Awards to freshman Circe Cooke and sophomore Perry Stevenson.

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION AWARD went to Charles Gear and the MILITARY HISTORY AWARD was presented to Chris Smith by CPT Baum.

Prof. Emeritus Ervin L. Dayton presented the COL. JAMES H. DAYTON AWARD to Perry Stevenson. THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AWARD was presented by Vincent Shuck, Commander, Post 3518, to Perry Stevenson. Runnerup was Charles Gear.

THE DANA G. LOUGH SPORTS AWARD was presented to Douglas Tanner by Glen Ryan, Cat Club president.

OUTSTANDING BAND AWARDS were presented by Dr. Charles D. Whitehill to Elizabeth Walker, Concert Band, and John Placha, Jazz Ensemble.

THE DEAN FRANK MAUZY SIDNEY HARRIS HISTORY AWARD was presented to Darwin Gough by David Cline. The \$50 award was established by Mr. Harris '32 of Pittsburgh in memory of the former academic Dean.

AGRICULTURE AWARDS were given to Steven Bland, Susan Harper and Kent Shipe by Prof. Kenneth Malone.

WALTER H. BOONE CHEMISTRY AWARDS were given to Charles T. Smith and Kay L. Burgess by Dr. Robert Naylor.

The MAURICE G. POWELL CHEMISTRY AWARD went to Douglas Given. The award was presented by Dr. Naylor.

CIRCLE K SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS were presented to freshman Kay Burgess and sophomore Charles Gear by president-elect Richard Umstot, Jr.

The BIOLOGY AWARD was presented to Albert Smith, Jr. by Prof. W. E. Michael.

The WILLIAM B. McPHERSON AWARD was presented by Prof. Michael, Circle K adviser, to Deirdre Triplett and runnersup Jeffry Kessel and Garrett Miller.



CIRCLE K CLUB

Circle K is an international service club. Chapter 6 at Potomac State was the first to be organized in West Virginia. It serves by means of education, association, and training, and instills in its members a growing consciousness of basic American ideals and responsibilities.

Circle K builds character and citizenship that contribute to better community living in the future. It presents scholastic awards to the freshman and sophomore students with the highest scholastic averages and the William B. McPherson Citizenship Award in honor of Captain William McPherson, past president, who was killed in action December 3, 1965, while serving in Vietnam.

Gary Parish was the 1977/78 president and Professor William Michael serves as advisor.



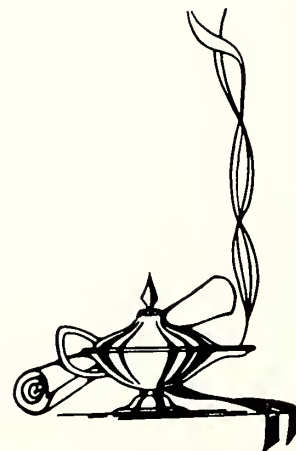
NEWMAN CLUB

Newman Club is a national Catholic organization, founded at the college in 1948. It fosters the spiritual, intellectual, and social interests of Catholic students. The group is a member of the National Newman Federation.



PUBLIC CHOICE CLUB

Public Choice endeavors to make students aware of the need for personal involvement in community and civic affairs. Active this year were: George May, president, Steve Ofori, Doug Kesner, Hudine Wooden, Chacko Yogiaveehil, and Marion Ludwick.





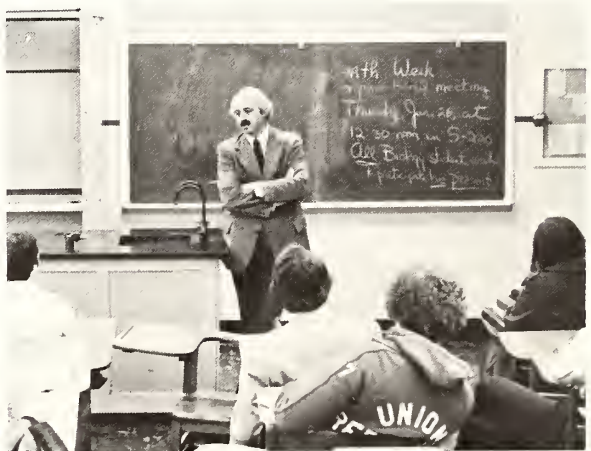
ACTIVITIES

Educational Cultural

EVENTS



FREE-LANCE PHOTOGRAPHER:
Bill Kuykendall



JUDGE: Reeves Taylor

Appalachia

By Muriel Miller Dressler



I am Appalachia! In my veins
Runs fierce mountain pride: the hill-fed streams
Of passion; and, stranger, you don't know me!
You've analyzed my every more - you still
Go away shaking your head. I remain
Enigmatic. How can you find rapport with me -
You, who never stood in the bowels of hell,
Never felt a mountain shake and open its jaws
To partake of human sacrifice?
You, who never stood on a high mountain,
Watching the sun unwind its spiral rays;
Who never searched the glens for wild flowers,
Never picked mayapples or black walnuts; never ran
Wildly through the woods in pure delight,
Nor dangled your feet in a lazy creek?
You, who never danced to wild sweet notes,
Outpourings of nimble-fingered fiddlers;
Who never just "sat a spell" on a porch,
Chewing and whittling; or hearing in pastime
The deep-throated bay of chasing hounds
And hunters shouting with joy, "he's treed!"
You, who never once carried a coffin
To a family plot high upon a ridge
Because mountain folk know it's best to lie
Where breezes from the hills whisper, "you're home";
You, who never saw from the valley that graves on a hill
Bring easement of pain to those below?
I tell you, stranger, hill folk know
What life is all about; they don't need pills
To tranquilize the sorrow and joy of living.
I am Appalachia: and stranger,
Though you've studied me, you still don't know.

Autographed copy of "Appalachia" was presented to the Mary F. Shipper Library and hangs in the study area on the Mezzanine.



LECTURER: Howard Kenney with Cline, Harrington and Shaffer

Campus Programs

POET: Margaret Anderson



ROCK STAR: Steppenwolf





ARTIST: Charles Ripper



AUTHOR: Davis Grubb

Varied



MUSICIANS: Davis, Whitehill, and Thurmond

SPEAKERS: Beavers, Hartman, Cline, and Young



National Archery



Champion . . . Jim



Webb
Visits Potomac State Campus

24 Hour Dance Marathon For American Cancer Society

STEERING COMMITTEE

Terry Harman - Co-chairman
Hunter Wilson - Co-chairman
Doug Wilson - Chairman, Dance Marathon Committee
Julie Malone - Chairman, Beautification Committee
Shelley Hess - Chairman, Public Relations Committee
Edward Facenbaker, Jr. - Chairman, Recycling Committee
Kay Burgess - Chairman, Seminars Committee
Bob McKinley - Chairman, Speakers Committee
Professor Nancy Oates - Advisor



Winds Down
Earth Week 78





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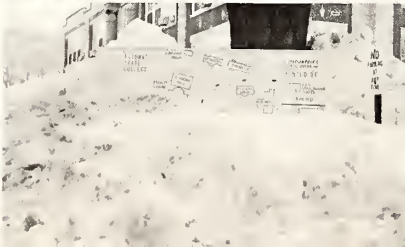
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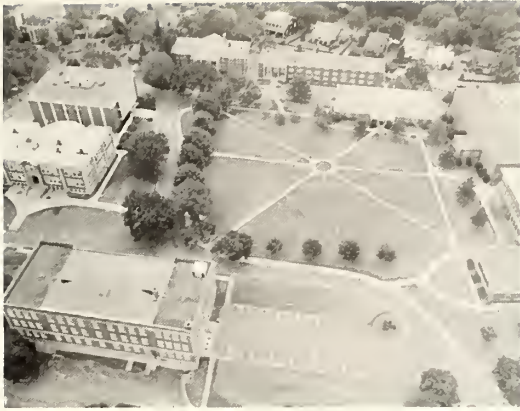


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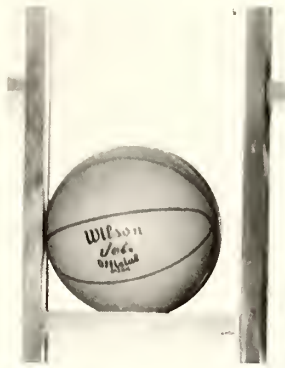


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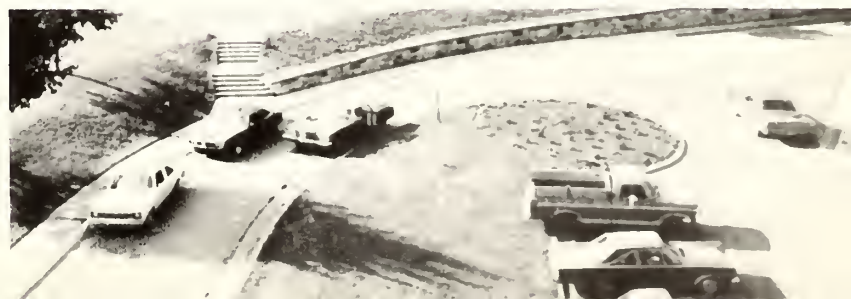
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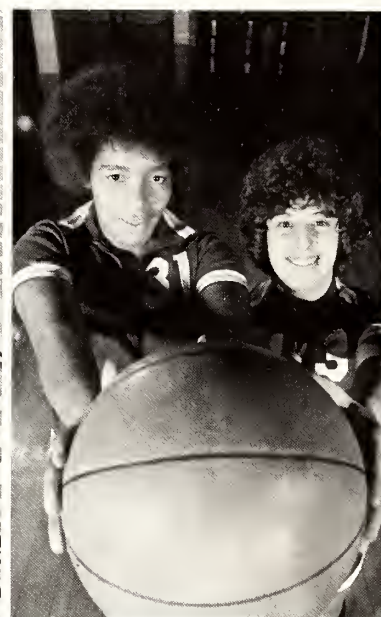
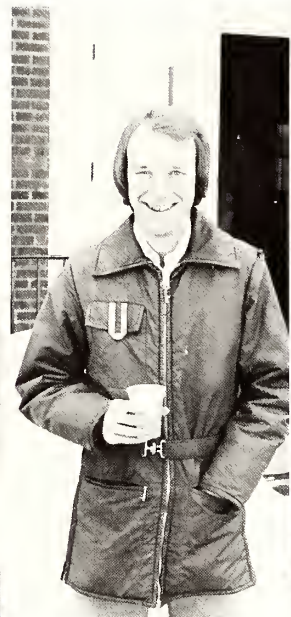
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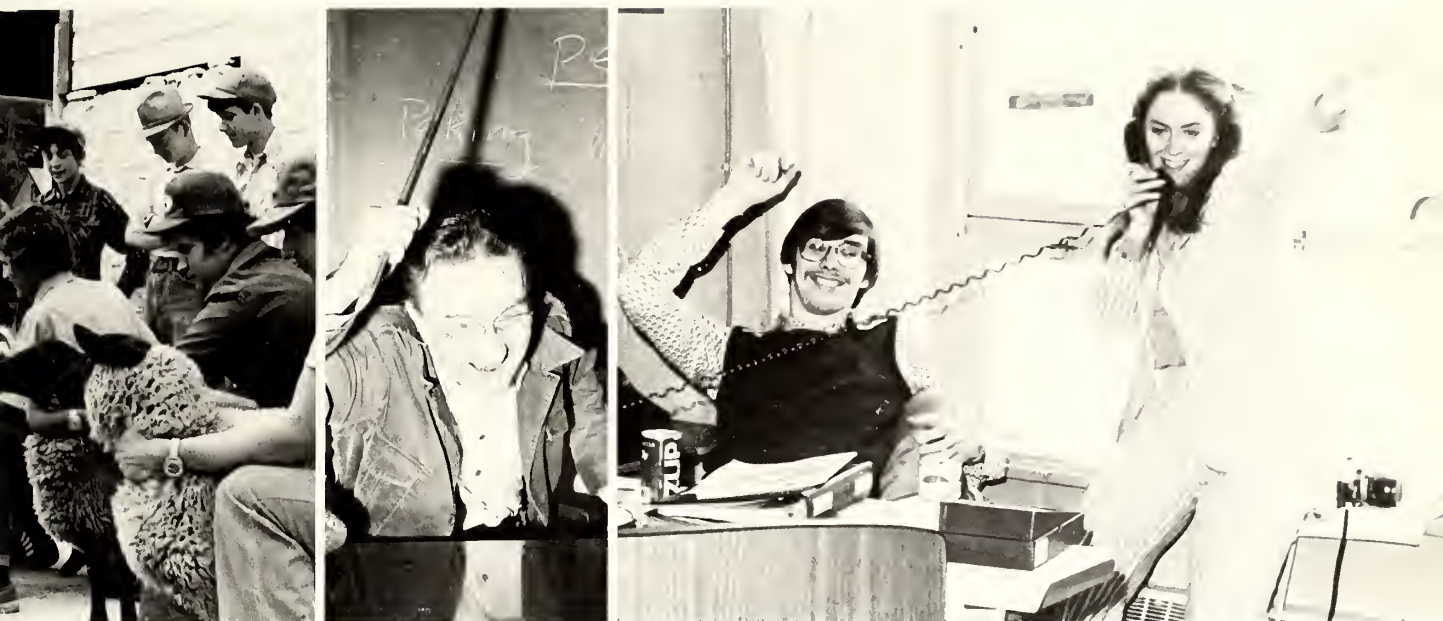
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Chances Are It Was A Season With People And Things





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Best Season

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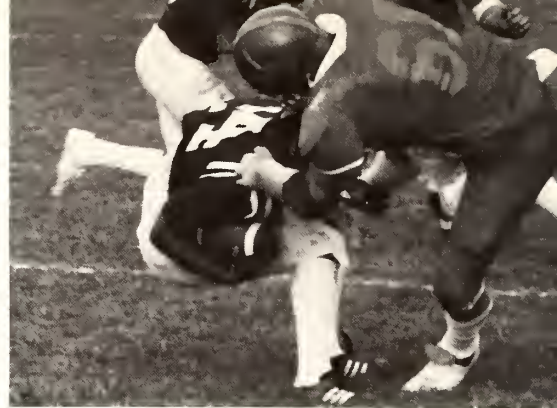
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Seasonal Runs & Clashes





Catamounts 1977



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FOOTBALL Schedule

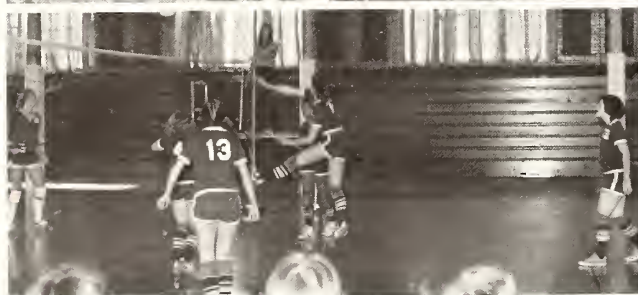
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0	Nassau 20
19	Chowan 40
26	Wesley 6
16	Pitts JV 6
3	Montgomery 10
0	Ferrum 14
25	Baltimore 0
45	Hudson 6
14	Lees McRae 14





VOLLEYBALL TEAM: Front L to R: Sue Schwinbart, Diana Cooper, Kathy Marciniak, Barbara Johnson, Lani Baker, Thea Garland, Back L to R: Peggy Matthews, Joan Molesworth, Lisa Sirk, Barbara Bean, Tammy Dorsey, Jocelyn Hoff, Barbara Kimer. Judy Scott. Margaret Quinn.

Pride Prevails In



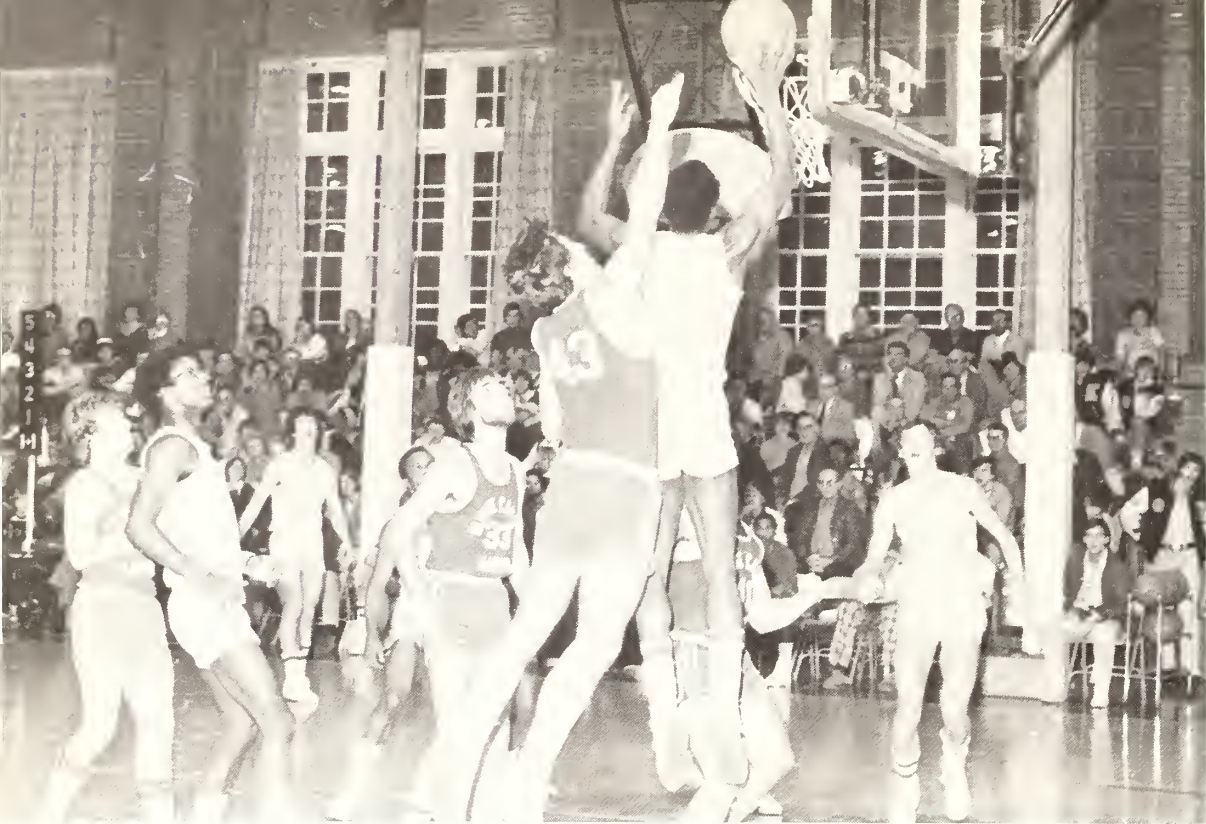


BASKETBALL TEAM Front L to R: Bill Keller, Judy Scott, Barbara Bean, Kim Jacobs, Roxann Tigney, Cindy Baldwin, Marian Thorne, Yolanda Broom. Back L to R: Sandy Elmore, Terri Hilman, Robin Wilson, Sue Ostapic, Jocelyn Hoff, Monica Goldsborough, Jennifer Keeney, Jean Neal, Thea Garland, Lani Baker, Pam Francis.

Women's Athletics

WE	OPPONENT	THEY
40	WVA WESLEYAN	76
54	SHENANDOAH	71
23	NORTH ALLEGHENY	60
52	ALLEGHENY C. COLLEGE	80
73	GARRETT	29
31	ESSEX	63
55	CHARLES	60
36	HAGERSTOWN	100
55	NORTH ALLEGHENY	69
80	FERRUM	72
52	CATONSVILLE	76
63	FERRUM	79
57	SHEPHERD	85
63	CECIL	89
69	CHARLES	42
35	CATONSVILLE	86
63	ALLEGHENY C. COLLEGE	71





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Close Season As Second Best Defensive Team In U.S. Ranked 9th During Year Open Season as WV Weston Invitational Champs

Defeating Salem 66-62 And Glenville 56-52



Give Vincennes Its 1st Defeat 65-63

In The Vincennes Classic Going



On to a 88-70 win over Pennsacola

Basketball Schedule

We		They
91	Fayette CC	55
63	N. Allegheny	65
72	Ohio Valley	56
56	Garrett CC	52
59	Westchester CC	63
72	Mercer CC	70 2-OT
83	Farmingdale JC	63
81	S. Allegheny	41
65	Allegany CC	74
95	Johnstown UP	54
79	Catonsville	60
58	Ferrum	56 OT
77	N Allegheny	55
43	Boyce CC	42
63	Baltimore CC	70
109	Fayette CC	75
77	Catonsville	60
55	Allegany CC	51
74	Garrett CC	58
64	Boyce	35
102	Hagerstown JC	63
8	Region XX Tournament	
63	Beaver	48
72	Catonsville	54
71	Baltimore	72

REGION XX FINAL
Baltimore 72 PSC 71



Team Members Honor Coach Don Moran 'Day Of The Coach'



1977-1978 Cagers

Dave Britton, Wendel Ramsey, Wayne Wharton, Mike Bullet, Craig Warnick, Curt Jones, Duane Shropshire, Hilton Graham, Leon Grfeen, Terry Fahey, Mike Clise, Jim Lafferty, Stan Allen, and Elmer Jackson. Assistant Coach Terry LaRue.



Coach Moran

'Will Remember'
1977-1978 Cagers

Player	1978 Baseball Statistics													
	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	SB	SAC	BB	SO	OBE	RBI	OBA	BA
Doug Tanner	82	21	36	8	1	2	4	5	15	6	3	42	556	439
Wayne Whitsitt	48	7	21	6	0	0	1	2	6	5	2	13	537	437
Joe Hall	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	400	400
Ed Trietley	81	23	30	12	1	2	3	1	18	7	3	23	565	370
Pete Bergmann	97	31	33	5	0	2	6	5	9	3	3	13	424	340
Mike Darrell	79	30	27	3	3	2	17	0	29	16	1	15	537	340
Willie Saucerman	81	17	27	4	2	2	7	3	12	16	6	22	454	333
Ron Pizatella	83	24	24	8	1	1	1	2	17	12	6	19	470	289
Jim Kramer	92	21	26	3	2	1	9	4	15	10	3	12	410	282
Doug Jones	60	9	15	3	2	0	1	1	16	20	1	6	447	250
Jay Quinn	45	9	10	1	1	1	0	2	12	11	2	7	421	222
TOTALS	753	193	251	53	13	13	49	25	150	106	37	172	485	333

We	Schedule	They	Pitcher
1	St. Petersburg Junior College	4	Carmichael
7	Wingate College, N.C.	17	Barger
1	Wingate College, N.C.	8	Carmichael
4	Alleghany Community College	8	Carmichael
5	Alleghany Community College	7	Barger
5	Navy	2	Carmichael
2	Garrett Community College	8	Barger
14	Garrett Community College	6	Pizatella
8	Catonsville Community College	6	Barger (Relief)
16	Catonsville Community College	0	Hall
9	Alleghany South Community College	3	Lively
4	Alleghany South Community College	2	Barger (Relief)
13	Beaver Community College	4	Hall (Relief)
9	Beaver Community College	3	Pizatella
10	Hagerstown Community College	7	Hall
9	California State College J. V.	2	Barger
9	California State College J. V.	5	Lively
3	Ferrum College	2	Carmichael
10	Ferrum College	9	Pizatella (Relief)
7	Dundalk Community College	2	Carmichael
4	Dundalk Community College	3	Hall
3	Alleghany Community College	11	Carmichael
6	Alleghany Community College	8	Pizatella
5	Butler Community College	8	Lively
10	Butler Community College	4	Barger
12	Baltimore Community College	2	Hall
9	Baltimore Community College	4	Carmichael
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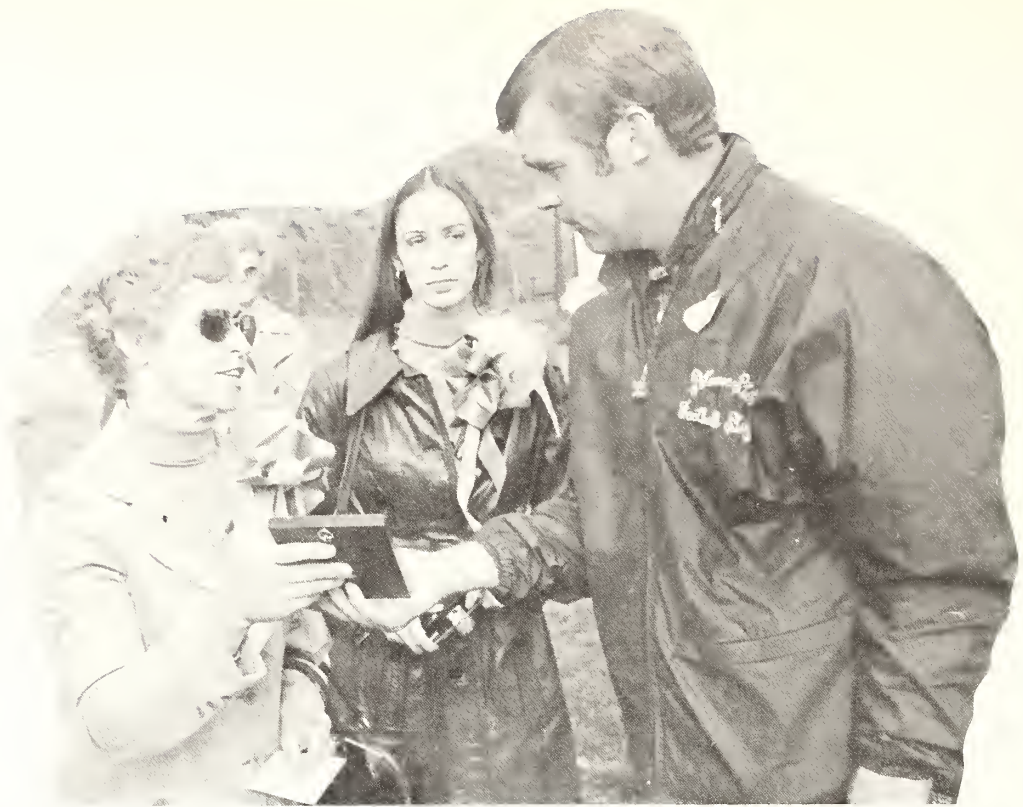
Player	IP	R	H	ER	2B	3B	HR	BB	HP	SO	ERA	W-L
Tim Carmichael	54	33	50	24	7	1	3	44	1	42	4.0	5-3
Jim Barger	38	38	54	31	15	1	3	24	0	25	7.3	4-3
Joe Hall	40	24	41	19	8	3	2	14	0	23	4.2	4-0
Dick Lively	24	21	30	10	8	1	1	10	0	18	3.7	2-1
Ron Pizatella	22	17	25	11	5	2	0	12	0	10	4.5	3-1
Jeff Rhodes	7	7	8	7	2	0	0	11	0	2	9.0	0-0
TOTALS	185	140	208	102	45	8	9	115	1	120	4.9	18-8



STANDING L to R: Dick Lively, Robin Jansante, Jim Barger, Ron Pizatella, Mike Darrell, Doug Tanner, Willie Saucerman, Joe Hall, Coach Jack Reynolds. KNEELING L to R: Tim Carmichael, Coach Fred Clark, Jay Quinn, Peter Bergmann, Jim Kramer, Ed Trietley, Doug Jones. SITTING L to R: Wayne Whitsitt, Coach Branson Brown, Coach Dave Cline, and Jeff Rhodes.

1978 Batsmen Have 18-9 Record Year

COACHING STAFF
Head Coach Jack Reynolds
Assistants: Dave Cline
 Branson Brown
 Fred Clark



Mrs. Augustino Accepts Plaque From Coach Reynolds

Baseball Dugout Honors Robert J. Augustino



What A Difference A Day Makes



Lunch In Keyser
Friday

Saturday
Dinner At Daytona Beach





Ron Pizatella - Right Field

Doug Tanner - 1st Base



Mark Darrell - Shortstop





Clearwater, Florida

Catamounts 'Visit' 'Play' In South



WVU Exhibition game St. Petersburg.
Wingate, NC.

Women's Softball Team



Row 1 L to R: Nancy Hoatson, Peggy Matthews, Kim Parsons. Row 2 L to R: Judy Scott, Gwynne Miller, Emily Hott, Terry Hillman. Row 3 L to R: Cindy Baldwin, Jennifer Kenney, Mary Beth Harper, JoAnn Bruno, Jean Neel, and Coach Sandy Elmore.

**BE A SMART
CAT**

**GO
CATS
GO**

**WIN
CATS**



BACK POTOMAC

Catamount Fight Song Oh, Cat-A-Mounts

Oh, Cat-a-mounts, we're here be-side you,
We'll al-ways stand for you and cheer,
With all our spir-it here behind you,
No teams of ours should ev-er fear.

Come on and fight and win for State, boys,
Our col-ors, Gold and Blue, they'll see.
And you will Fight, Fight, Men of Might,
March on to vic-tor-y.



GRADUATION



The Season

For Which





TOP HONOR students shown here with President Gene Budig and retired Executive Dean A.G. Slonaker. Mary Shears, highest woman and James E. Thompson, II, highest man.



We Came

May 7, 1978

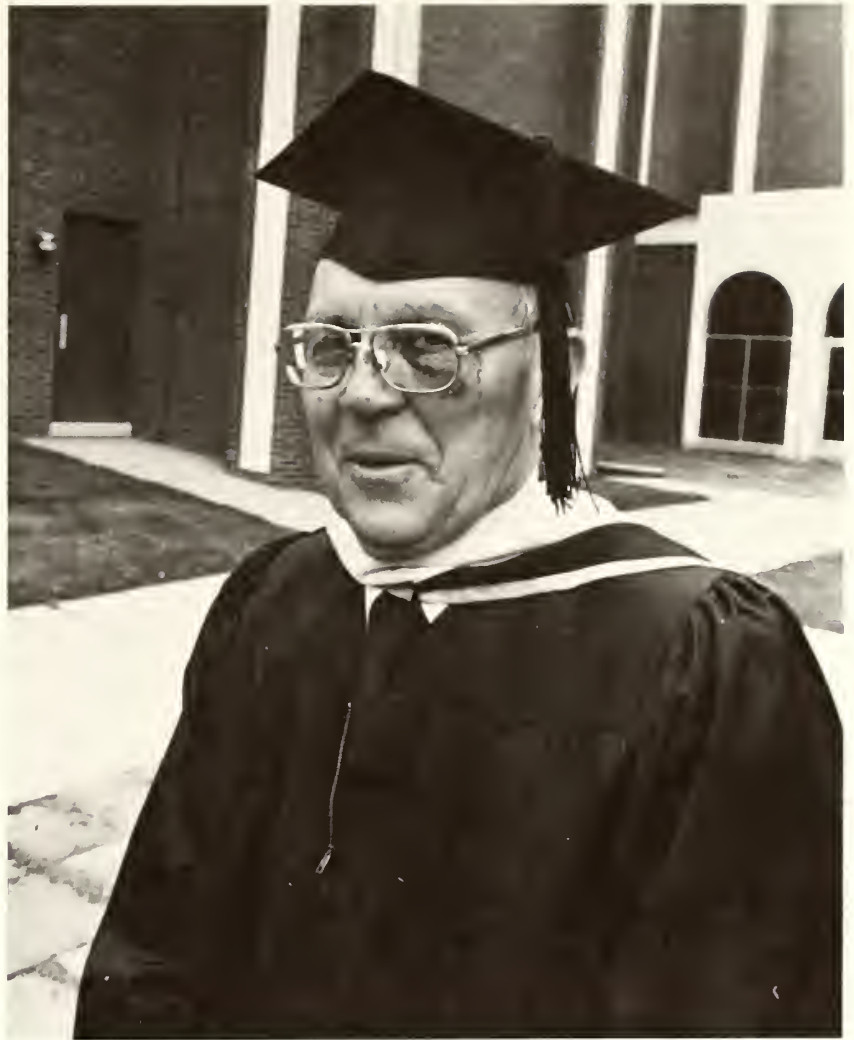


Seasonal

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Favorites Of
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Dr. E.E. Church
Shares Honor With
Dean McKee's Brother, Newlon,
During Graduation Day
Activities



Dr. Church, Dr. Budig, Mr. McKee



CHURCH-McKEE ARTS CENTER

HONORING TWO WHOSE
DEDICATED SERVICE STEERED
POTOMAC STATE COLLEGE
THROUGH YEARS
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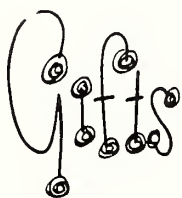


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